

	<p style="text-align: center;">Health Select Committee 3rd February 2009</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Report from the Director of Policy & Regeneration</p>
For Action	Wards Affected: ALL
<p>Task Group Scoping Documents</p>	

1.0 Summary

- 1.1 The Health Select Committee task group on access to health sites has completed its work. If the committee wishes to carry out a second task group this year members need to select a second task group subject. Three potential task group scoping documents have been prepared to allow members to select a second task group for 2008/09.

2.0 Recommendations

- 2.1 The Health Select Committee should consider each of the three task group scoping documents and decide which it wants to undertake at this time.

3.0 Detail

- 3.1 The Health Select Committee needs to select a second task group subject following the completion of the access to health sites work. Three scoping documents have been prepared in consultation with the chair of the committee to give members a choice of task group. The scoping documents also provide some background information on each of the topics, including information on the issues in Brent.
- 3.2 The scoping documents are included as appendices to this report. The issues are:
- Childhood Immunisation
 - Obesity
 - Diabetes

3.3 The Health Select Committee should consider each of the scoping documents and decide which one it wants to look at in more detail. Assuming one of the subjects listed above is selected, the group offices will be contacted asking for a nomination to the task group. The members of the task group don't have to be on the Health Select Committee, but it is useful if at least one of the members is also a member of the full committee.

3.4 Once the task group is established work will begin. The first task will be to agree terms of reference. It is envisaged that the research and evidence gathering stages of this work will be done in February, March and April of this year, with a final report presented to the Health Select Committee, probably in June 2009. It should be noted that dates for the committee after the meeting on 31st March are still to be agreed.

4.0 Financial Implications

4.1 None

5.0 Legal Implications

5.1 None

6.0 Diversity Implications

6.1 None

7.0 Staffing/Accommodation Implications (if appropriate)

7.1 None

Background Papers

Childhood Immunisation scoping document – Appendix 1
Obesity scoping document – Appendix 2
Diabetes scoping document – Appendix 3

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